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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action of  
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IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 35-51 and enter the following new  
claims:

52. (New) A composite material comprising:
- a. a material comprising a welding fabric welded to a first substrate, wherein said welding fabric comprises a welding portion and a fixing portion, wherein said welding portion includes a material which melts under hot pressing condition and said fixing portion is provided with auxiliary fixing means;
  - b. wherein said welding portion contains